

Presbytery of Central Nebraska
Leadership Development Fund
“Individual” Leadership Development Grant Funding Guidelines

Rationale

In support of leadership within the Presbytery of Central Nebraska, we believe:

That by the grace of God, the presbytery of Central Nebraska, a governing body of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.), is a community of salvation through faith in Jesus Christ, and is committed to ministry and mission within and beyond our geographic and denominational bounds. Empowered by the Holy Spirit, the Presbytery seeks to lead congregations with energy, intelligence, imagination and love.

Overview

A limited number of grants are available to provide assistance to the Presbytery of Central Nebraska (PCN) minister members, PCN inquirers, PCN candidates, employees of PCN, and personnel that are employed by a church of Presbytery of Central Nebraska. The grants can be used for individual leadership and professional growth and seminary assistance. Expenditures will be reviewed and recommended by either the Committee on Ministry or the Committee on Preparation for Ministry, or Council to Business & Budget for final authorization within budgeted guidelines. Additional funds may be allocated upon application to the presbytery.

Leadership Grant Funding Guidelines

1. The funding available for leadership development grants is not unlimited. Applications are considered at the fall meeting of the Business & Budget Committee for funding in the following calendar year. Applications should be submitted by **August 1st**. Late submissions will be considered if all the available funds for any calendar year have not been committed. Submission of an application does not guarantee funding.
2. Grant awards will be made on a case-by-case basis; grants will not exceed **50%** of event cost or **\$1,000**, whichever is less.
3. If for any reason the applicant does not attend the event all grant dollars must be returned, or if the total amount requested is not used all unused dollars must be returned.
4. Grants are available for PCN minister members, PCN inquirers, PCN candidates, employees of PCN, and personnel that are employed by a church of Presbytery of Central Nebraska.

See Application on Reverse Side

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Individual Leadership Development Fund Grant Application

Name _____ Date _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

Email address _____ Phone number _____

Position held _____

Name of Event _____

Location of Event _____

Date of Event _____

Total Cost of Event _____ Amount Requested _____

Amount and Source of Other Support _____

Reason for applying for Grant _____

Recommended to B&B by:

Check all that apply: COM _____ CPM _____ Council _____

Return the completed application to:

Business & Budget Committee

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